

Appendix table 4-2.

Purchasing power parity and market exchange rates, by selected country: 1981–2000

(Units of foreign currency per U.S. dollar)

Year	Purchasing power parity						Market exchange rate		
	Canada	France	Germany ^a	Italy	Japan	Russian Federation	United Kingdom	Germany ^a	Japan
1981	1.27	5.70	2.41	891	241.5	—	0.53	2.26	221
1982	1.31	6.02	2.36	984	231.7	—	0.53	2.43	249
1983	1.31	6.32	2.33	1,084	225.6	—	0.54	2.55	238
1984	1.30	6.49	2.27	1,156	221.4	—	0.54	2.85	238
1985	1.28	6.64	2.23	1,217	218.4	—	0.55	2.94	239
1986	1.29	6.82	2.24	1,281	216.9	—	0.55	2.17	169
1987	1.31	6.80	2.20	1,316	210.2	—	0.56	1.80	145
1988	1.31	6.75	2.15	1,353	203.8	—	0.58	1.76	128
1989	1.32	6.69	2.11	1,378	199.2	—	0.59	1.88	138
1990	1.30	6.61	2.09	1,421	195.3	—	0.60	1.62	145
1991	1.29	6.51	2.09	1,463	193.1	1.1	0.64	1.66	135
1992	1.28	6.42	2.07	1,459	188.2	16.0	0.62	1.56	127
1993	1.26	6.57	2.10	1,534	184.3	152.6	0.64	1.65	111
1994	1.25	6.62	2.07	1,533	180.6	605.6	0.65	1.62	102
1995	1.18	6.46	2.02	1,550	169.9	1,593.6	0.65	1.43	94
1996	1.19	6.57	2.03	1,583	165.6	2,209.4	0.64	1.50	109
1997	1.19	6.72	2.01	1,644	165.1	2,502.9	0.65	1.73	121
1998	1.17	6.69	2.00	1,668	163.7	2,705.1	0.66	1.76	131
1999	1.17	6.61	2.00	1,668	159.9	—	0.67	—	—
2000	1.18	6.54	1.97	1,670	155.5	—	0.68	—	—

— = Data not used in this report

^aData for 1981–90 are for West Germany.

SOURCES: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, Main Science and Technology Indicators database (Paris, November, 2000); Russian Centre for Science Research and Statistics; and International Monetary Fund, *International Financial Statistics Yearbook* (Washington, DC, 1999).